

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary

Application No.

09/743,905

Applicant(s)

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Examiner

David A. Lambertson

Art Unit

1636

All Participants:

(1) David A. Lambertson.

(2) Marina Gordey.

Status of Application: _____

(3) Daniel Hart.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 16 August 2004

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: _____

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

21.

Prior art documents discussed:

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Applicant's representative was contacted regarding a possible Examiner's Amendment. Specifically, claim 21 required a change to properly indicate antecedent basis. Additionally, changes were required to the Abstract to remove impermissible "legal language." Applicant's representative, while not acquiescing to the correctness of the Office's position, approved the Examiner's Amendment for the sole purpose of furthering prosecution of the application to allowance. It was also requested that the first line of the specification be amended to indicate the International Application was published in English under PCT Article 13(2).